

**IN THE ABSTRACT**

Please amend the abstract as follows:

A system and method for network address translation (NAT) and session management, ~~[[is]]~~  
are for performing address translation and distributing a call to a plurality of call agents with respect  
to a SIP(Session Initiation Protocol) message in an NAT system, by applying the NAT concept to  
a SIP call initiated at the external public network or the local network. The system ~~and method~~ for  
network address translation (NAT) and session management includes a plurality of call agents  
(constituting the local network), interfacing ~~[[a]]~~ the plurality of the ~~[[SIP]]~~ call agents with the NAT  
block, controlling the NAT block to uniformly distribute a SIP call input from the ~~outside~~ external  
of the NAT network, to the ~~internal~~ plurality of SIP call agents. ~~Also, the~~ The system ~~and method~~  
for network address translation (NAT) and session management, could include more than one call  
agent for a packet exchange system, by applying the NAT using the SIP to a packet exchange system  
for supporting VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol) using the SIP in the packet network, and thus  
much more traffic could be processed.